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PART I.

IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT.

Directs that N. V. Ramanna be dismissed from the service.

ORDER No. 5376-5525—C. R. B. 20-29-4, DATED 1ST MAY 1930.

While filling up certain vacancies in the General and Revenue Secretariat in January last, a Nagartha young man by name N. V. Ramanna (son of N. R. Venkatappa Chetty, Merchant, Sivarampet, Mysore) who was an applicant for one of the vacancies and who stated in his application that he had passed the Intermediate Examination of 1929 was selected for the place of a Second Division Clerk on Rs. 30—3—60—5—100 and posted to one of the Branches of the Secretariat for duty.

From the way in which he was turning out the work entrusted to him from day to day, suspicion was aroused as to whether he really possessed the minimum qualification prescribed for the appointment. He was therefore called upon to explain if he had really passed the Intermediate Examination as stated in his application and, if so, to produce the necessary certificate.

In his explanation dated 27th March and 3rd April 1930, he pleaded that he had committed a mistake in stating in his application that he had passed the Intermediate Examination and added that he appeared for that examination in the year 1929 with Register No. 171 and presumed that he had passed the Examination as he saw the number in the list of successful candidates put up on the College Notice Board.

He was then asked to state if he had at least passed the S. S. L. C. Examination and, if so, to produce the certificate connected therewith. This time he came forward with a statement that he had passed the S. S. L. C. Examination from the Sharada Vilas High School at Mysore in the year 1926 and that he would produce the certificate in a few days.

But as he absented himself without producing this certificate, the Secretary to the Mysore Local Examinations Board as well as the Registrar of the University were addressed with a view to find out the real truth about the matter. The reply received from the Secretary to the Board was to the effect that N. V. Ramanna appeared for

e S. S. L. C. Examination in the year 1927 and not in 1926 as stated by him but filed therein in all the subjects prescribed, getting a very low percentage of marks in each; while that received from the Registrar was to the effect that no candidate by name N. V. Ramanna appeared for the Intermediate Examination of 1929 and that the Register Number given by Ramanna belonged to a Mahomedan candidate by name Abdul Hafeez Khan, Sarjapur.

From the foregoing facts, it is clear that N. V. Ramanna referred to above managed to get into Secretariat Service by making a false representation that he had passed the Intermediate Examination, when as a matter of fact he had not even passed the S. S. L. C.

The fraud committed by Ramanna is of a serious nature and its seriousness is aggravated by the fact that, even after it was discovered, he did not come forward with the real truth but persisted in representing that he had passed the S. S. L. C. and that he had actually sat for the Intermediate Examination. He therefore deserves to be seriously dealt with and Government direct that he be dismissed from the service from the date from which he absented himself, namely, 5th April 1930, and that he be debarred from re-employment to the Public Service in Mysore.

N. MADHAVA RAO,
Chief Secretary to Government.

LAW SECRETARIAT

Recognition of the Mysore Chamber of Commerce, Bangalore, and the Merchants' Association, Mysore, as one constituency to return a member to the Legislative Council to represent Commerce and Trade.

ORDER NO. REL. 1163-4—L. C. 27-29-13, DATED 30TH APRIL 1930.

Government are pleased to recognise the Mysore Chamber of Commerce, Bangalore, and the Merchants' Association, Mysore, for the purpose of conjointly electing one member to the Legislative Council to be reconstituted in June 1930 to represent the Special Interest of "Commerce and Trade".

The Special Officer for Elections will take necessary action for holding the election.

P. MAHADEVAYYA,
*Secretary to Government,
Law Department.*

Permits the Kurubar Sangha, Bangalore, to depute two members to the Representative Assembly.

READ—

Government Order No. Rel. 1122-31—R. A. 79-29-1, dated 28th April 1930, recognising certain Associations of Minority Communities for the purpose of deputing members to the Representative Assembly to be reconstituted in June 1930.

ORDER THEREON NO. REL. 1166-75—R. A. 79-29-6, DATED 2ND MAY 1930.

In modification of the Government Order read above, Government are pleased to permit the Kurubar Sangha, Bangalore, to depute two members to the Representative Assembly.

P. MAHADEVAYYA,
Secretary to Government,